



# Illinois Crop Production

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**Winter wheat:** Harvested area in 2018 is forecast at 510,000 acres, up 9 percent from the previous year. The winter wheat yield is forecast at 73 bushels per acre, down 3 bushel from 2017. Production is forecast at 37.2 million bushels, 4 percent above the previous year.

## Crop Area Planted, Harvested, Yield, and Production – Illinois: 2017 and 2018

Crop	Area planted		Area harvested		Yield per acre		Production	
	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018	2017	2018
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)			(1,000)	(1,000)
Winter Wheat .....bushels	500	560	470	510	76.0	73.0	35,720	37,230

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